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TREASURY'S DEBT MANAGEMENT WEBSITE NAMED A TOP PICK

BOSTON, MA - State Treasurer Tim Cahill's Office announced that its debt management website was honored as one of the top websites for disclosure and investor information amongst state issuers in the municipal bond market. Treasury's debt management website was given the honor by MuniNet Guide, which also honored the debt websites for the state of California, Delaware and Florida.

"While the majority of issuers at the state level provide at least annual financial information, a select few serve a superb examples of municipal investor relations portals. Massachusetts is clearly one of these superb examples," according to MuniNet Guide's release. MuniNet Guide is an online guide and directory to municipal bond-related content on the Internet for municipal bond professionals.

Treasury's debt management website provides almost 13,000 pages of downloadable information, including:

- Bond official statements going back to 1993;
- Disclosure documents going back to 2007;
- Quarterly state economic data going back to 2004;
- The BuyMassachusettsBonds.com website, which is used to provide Massachusetts individual investors with information on how to buy bonds and invest in the Commonwealth:
- A summary of state finance laws;
- A forward calendar for state bond sales;
- Downloadable bond authorizations:
- Information on the state's ratings, including ratings history; and
- Links to other helpful websites, including to the MSRB's Electronic Municipal Marketplace Access website, the Administration's 5-year CIP, and state annual audits.

For more information on the debt management website, please go to www.mass.gov/treasury/debt.

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